

HOWARD ELLIOTT

Succeeds Charles Mollen as
Head of New Haven Railroad.



By American Press Association.

The man picked as the new president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company is regarded as one of the ablest executives in the railroad business. He is expected to revolutionize the system and restore the high standard of efficiency that once obtained.

MOUNTED POLICE ENGAGE SUFFRAGISTS

Sylvia Pankhurst Goes After Asquith and Is Jailed.

London, July 25.—Sylvia Pankhurst, the militant suffragist, who was out on license under the "cat and mouse" law, was the leader of a suffragette demonstration which surpassed all previous affairs of the sort. During the rioting which followed Miss Pankhurst was rearrested and taken to Holloway jail. The meeting, held in Trafalgar square by the Men's Federation for Woman's Suffrage and the East End branch of the Women's Social and Political Union, had been announced in advance. After some vitriolic speechmaking, Miss Pankhurst led the crowd in an attempt to rush Premier Asquith's residence in Downing street. Mounted police after a struggle succeeded in scattering the crowd in all directions.

Scores of Miners Indicted.

Charleston, W. Va., July 25.—Strict secrecy is being maintained at the Kanawha county courthouse concerning the report of the special grand jury which for the past 10 days has been investigating conditions in the Paint and Cabin creek strike district. It is known that scores of indictments were returned. Charles Parker and Cleve Lewis were arrested. They are charged with being members of a crowd of riotous miners on Cabin creek during recent disturbances there.

CAR JUMPS TRACK

Four Laborers Lose Their Lives and Three Are Badly Injured.
Nutley, N. J., July 25.—The middle car of a seven-car construction train on the Newark branch of the Erie railroad twisted from its couplings as the train was rounding a curve at the rate of five miles an hour, at West Nutley, and rolled bottom side up into a ditch alongside the track. Of the 12 trackmen in the car four were crushed to death by the 10½-ton car or slowly suffocated by its cargo of cinders. Three laborers were injured, one so seriously that he was taken to St. Michael's hospital in Newark.

Lumber Plant Burns.

Cincinnati, O., July 25.—Property valued at \$150,000 and owned by the Wilberg & Hanna Lumber company, was wiped out by fire.

BOYS HIT BY TRAIN

Five Asleep On Cattle Guard and Are Instantly Killed.
Crooksville, O., July 25.—Dwight Canborn, 17, and Thomas Yohn, 14, were killed by an eastbound freight train, south of Crooksville, as they were returning home from a church supper and had sat down on the cattle guard around a cattle guard at a grade crossing to rest. It is supposed that they fell asleep, and when awakened by the train were bewildered and jumped to the track. They were thrown over 100 feet.

New Solicitor General.

Washington, July 25.—Representative John Williams Davis, 46, of Clarkburg, W. Va., was nominated by President Wilson to be solicitor general of the United States. General Davis was the choice of Attorney General McReynolds from a long list of prominent lawyers to fill the important \$10,000 post. He will be second ranking legal officer of the country.

SHORT LOCALS

Eggs 20c; butter 24c.

For cuts apply Hanford's Balsam. Kirby's clearance sale closes next Saturday.

Why worry about your family washing, send it to us. The Gem Laundry. Miss Nora Nelson of Killbuck is a guest at the home of Mrs. C. G. Carpenter, North Division street.

One remedy with many uses. Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Cooper returned Sunday evening from a two weeks' visit at Lakeside.

Sale on "Wahoo" has been continued until Aug. 9. \$1.00 bottle, 25c. Plenty on hand. Dever's Drug store.

Mrs. Clyde Jacobs of Martinsburg spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fleming, Oak street.

Last opportunity to buy silverware at 25 per cent discount. Sale closes Saturday. Frank E. Kirby.

For nail in the foot apply Hanford's Balsam.

Mrs. Allen Fink and son, Charles, of Crafton, Pa., are guests of Mr. C. A. Bope, East Gambier street.

The Misses Ada Levering and Helen Mill have returned from a week's visit at Gambier.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin McIntire of Cleveland are spending several days in the city.

Last chance to make big saving on wall paper. Sale closes next Saturday. Frank E. Kirby.

Mrs. Simon Bechtel of Mt. Vernon and Mrs. F. H. Wells of Chicago have returned from a visit with friends at Fredericktown.

Mrs. S. E. Ziesloft returned last evening from Akron where she was called by the illness of her daughter, Miss Irene Ziesloft.

Many a valuable horse found with a bad wire cut has been saved by prompt applications of Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh.

Miss Celestia Midkiff, a nurse at the Mt. Vernon hospital, has returned after a two weeks' visit at her home in Danville.

Buy dishes this week and save money. Sale closes next Saturday. Frank E. Kirby.

Mrs. W. D. Phillips has returned to her home in Cleveland after a few days' visit with her sister, Mrs. C. P. Patterson of East Hamtramck street.

Mr. G. C. Carpenter, Mrs. Harry Patterson, Miss Bease Patterson and Miss Dena Carpenter will leave this week for Walhonding to spend a week camping.

Hon. John L. Cunningham returned to his home in Gambier Sunday noon after an extended trip through Europe with the agricultural commission.

Mr. Frederick Sturges returned to his home in Chicago, Ill., Saturday after a two weeks' visit with his grandmother, Mrs. F. D. Sturges, East Gambier street.

Misses Margaret Allen and Caritta Cochran, and Messrs. Charles White and Darwin Dows spent Sunday in Columbus the guests of Mrs. Guy Lauderdale.

Prosecutor L. Tate Cromley left Monday morning for Indian Lake near Hamilton, Ontario, where he will spend a vacation of two or three weeks playing baseball with the team at that place.

Mr. John Colopy who has been connected with the Rowlands store in this city for the past two years, has been transferred to Zanesville, where he will be head salesman. Mr. Colopy left Monday morning.

The Misses Ruth and Alice Hull with their guests, the Misses Ethel and Edith Fairchild of Springfield, O., and the Misses Ella and Madge Cassel left this morning to join a camping party at Buckeye Lake.

The Young Ladies' Missionary society of the Baptist church will hold a picnic at McIntire's on the Co-shocoon road, Tuesday afternoon. Members will please assemble at four o'clock. A picnic supper will be served.

The vestry of St. Paul's church has granted a vacation for August to the rector, Rev. W. E. Hull. Services will occur as announced in Saturday's papers. Rev. Mr. Hull with Mrs. Hull will spend the vacation at Toledo and points on the Great Lakes.

BIRTHS

A son, Robert Hull Jordan, was born on July 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Jordan of Oakland, California. Mr. Jordan was formerly of Mt. Vernon and has many acquaintances here.

The Cincinnati Reds have purchased Dick Robertson from the Savannah club. He is the star pitcher of the South Atlantic league this season.

OVER A PRECIPICE

Climax to the Reckless Ride of a Fearless Horseman.

HIS WILD LEAP IN THE DARK.

It Carried Horse and Rider Past the Edge of a Sheer Cliff to a Fall of Two Hundred and Fifty Feet to the Rocks and Water Below, Yet the Man Lived.

Perhaps the most extraordinary fall that a human being ever survived is that described by Thormann in his "Sporting Stories." The lucky man was Colonel William Yorke Moore, a British officer, who rode his horse in the dark over a sheer precipice 247 feet in height and came out alive! It seems incredible that such a fearful experience should result in anything but instant death, yet here are the facts, which once again confirm the adage that truth is more wonderful than fiction.

Colonel Moore, who commanded the troops at Dominica, lost his way one evening after sunset. In complete darkness he endeavored to make his way home. Two or three times he had difficulty in making his horse cross obstacles, and at last they came to something that the horse would not face.

Colonel Moore was a fearless rider. Again and again he rode his horse at full speed against the unknown obstacle, but in vain. At last, urged anxiously by whip and spur, the terrified animal, with a snort of terror, cleared the low hedge for such the obstruction proved to be—and went over the cliff. Colonel Moore says that during his flight on horseback through the air every event of his whole life seemed to pass in a luminous panorama before him. Suddenly there came a terrific concussion, which deprived him of his senses and left him with his legs in the sea and his body on the rocks, apparently dead.

He must have lain there stunned for some hours, for when at last the lapping water and the cool breezes restored him the moon was shining brightly in midheaven, and its beams fell upon the upturned, glittering shoes of his gallant horse, which lay dead and mangled beside him.

As soon as he had collected his scattered wits Colonel Moore began to examine himself to ascertain what injuries he had sustained. He found that he was severely cut about the body and head, that his right ankle was dislocated and that his back was benumbed or paralyzed by the concussion of his fall.

When the sun rose it shone upon his bare, bleeding head with such intolerable heat that, as a protection from its rays, he tied his cotton handkerchief about his forehead. Above his head projected the two ends of the knotted bandage stained crimson with his blood.

After lying in horrible pain for several hours he spied a boatful of natives rowing toward the spot where he lay. As they came near he hailed them in a faint voice, but the moment they saw the ghastly figure of the colonel, with his bloody headband, they set up a yell and rowed away as if 20,000 fiends were after them.

After some time a single black man came clambering over the rocks, intent on catching fish. He was within a few yards of the colonel when the latter halted him. The moment the negro caught sight of the bleeding head and the blood stained bandage he, too, uttered a fearful yell, flung down his rod and line and scrambled off over the rocks as fast as his feet and hands would carry him.

The colonel now began to resign himself to the prospect of a lingering death, but fortunately his English servant, alarmed at his master's absence, went in search of him and, following the horse's tracks, at last came to the edge of the precipice.

The sudden disappearance of the hoof prints near the low hedge fence convinced him that an accident had happened. He ran to the barracks and got out a boat, which a party of soldiers rowed to the foot of the cliff.

Very tenderly and carefully the soldiers lifted the colonel into the boat and brought him back to the barracks. For some months he lay in great pain and danger, but in time the paralyzed muscles of his back recovered, and eventually he was restored to complete health. Not even the slightest touch of lameness remained to remind him of his fall.

Use Chloride of Lime.

Next to corrosive sublimate the most effective germ destroyer and deodorizer is chloride of lime. Corrosive sublimate is such a powerful poison that it is dangerous to have in the house. But chloride of lime is perfectly safe and very cheap. There are many uses to which chloride of lime can be put. Among these are sterilization of water supplies and sewage effluents, street sprinkling, flushing of gutters, disinfecting of all sorts in hospitals, homes, factories and railway cars; the extermination of vermin of all kinds, especially the typhoid carrying housefly.

Cheering.

Robby—I think I like you better than any of the other fellows that come to see sister. Percy—I'm pleased to hear it, Robby. Why do you like me the best? Robby—Because she always lets me stay around and hear what you say.—Judge.

The talker now; the listener now.—Italian Proverb.

PLANS

For Sewage Disposal Plant Here Are Approved

By The State Board Of Health At Columbus

City Engineer Ray Blinn received a telephone message from the state board of health Monday morning, saying that the plans submitted for the sewage disposal plant in Mt. Vernon were accepted with the following conditions attached:

(1) That the plant be constructed before any more sewers are built and that it be in operation for one year before such sewers are constructed.

(2) That someone be appointed whose business is to take care of the plant, make careful inspections and see that it is cleaned at frequent intervals.

(3) That the city pass an ordinance prohibiting any parties from running any roof water or water accumulating in yards into the sewer. This amounts to a ratification of the plans submitted and the work will be pushed ahead rapidly.

KICKED

In The Face By A Horse Was A Young Boy

Raymond, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Coffing of Green Valley, was kicked in the face by a horse Sunday afternoon and was severely, but not seriously injured. Several teeth were knocked out and his face and lips were badly cut and bruised.

The boy was standing at the rear of one of the stalls in the stable when the horse kicked backward. He was a good distance away and was not near enough to get the full force of the blow. He escaped luckily in spite of his painful injuries. A physician from Mt. Vernon was called in attendance.

UNCLAIMED MAIL

To avoid delay in delivery have your mail addressed to street and number, P. O. box or general delivery. The following letters remain unclaimed in the Mt. Vernon postoffice: Advertised July 25, 1912.

Dunn, Bert
Garrard, Mr. and Mrs. Chas.
Hillman, Mrs. Olive
Kinney, L. A.
Logan Business College
Pye, Mrs. John
Rouch, Miss Anna
Rymer, Amos
Parker, Thomas
Pipes, Miss Nema
Smith, Miss Violet
Williams, E. H.
Foreign
Cockayne, Mrs. E. F.

DEATHS

DANIEL SMITH

Daniel Smith died at his home south of Millwood at 12 o'clock Sunday night after an illness of over six months' duration caused by cancer of the liver. He was about 65 years of age at the time of his death and is survived by his wife and several sons and daughters. The funeral at the Disciple church in Millwood Tuesday morning at ten o'clock, Rev. Kerr of Howard officiating. Interment at Millwood.

CITIZENS' MEETING

There will be a meeting of the citizens of Gambier and the vicinity in the bank building on Tuesday evening, July 29. Everyone interested in the organization of the new bank is requested to be present at this meeting.

Frolics of Ivan the Terrible.

Ivan the Terrible, among his many insane freaks, would let loose wild bears in the streets of his capital and pluckily say his prayers while watching the slaughter of his people, "flung a few coins to the mutilated survivors as he rose from his knees." He would compel parents to slay their children, and children to kill one another; and if there was a survivor "the amiable monarch would dispatch him with his own hands, shrieking with laughter at no excellent a joke." In one of his lighter moods of frolic he commanded the citizens of Moscow to "provide for him a measure full of seas for a medicine," and fined them 7,000 roubles when they failed.

Were you among the great throng of eager, enthusiastic shoppers who greeted the opening of

The Great Manufacturers' Surplus Sale

Ten hundred and sixty-six people entered the store during the first thirty minutes of the sale. They've been coming in crowds that try the capacity of the store almost to the limit. However, we've had much experience with just such crowds and as a result of the ample provision made in the way of merchandise and extra clerical help, most every one was served promptly and satisfactorily.

This sale actually does offer much greater savings than any other sale you ever attended

That was the unanimous opinion of every woman who shared in these extraordinary bargains. Here they found good reliable, stylish and serviceable goods priced one-fourth, one-third and one-half their actual value. You're lucky if you have deferred your purchases until this Manufacturers' Surplus Sale for now you can buy every need at prices that were considered incredible a short week ago. Be sure to get your share of these bargains.

The Sale will be Renewed each day with greater variation and still greater bargains.

Here are a few of them for Tomorrow:

12½c Percales	9c	\$12.50 and \$15.00 Silk Dresses ..	\$5.95
7c Muslin	5c	\$1.00 House Dresses and Wrap-	
10c Muslin	7½c	pers	69c
8c India Linon	5c	\$1.25 and \$1.50 Kimonos	95c
18c and 20c White Goods	10c	\$1.50 and \$2 Lace Curtains	95c
Up to 25c Wash Goods	10c	\$2.50 Porch Shades	\$1.79
10c Wash Goods	5c	\$3.00 Porch Shades	\$1.95
50c Bleached Sheets	37c	\$3.50 Porch Shades	\$2.25
75c Bleached Sheets	59c	\$5.00 Porch Shades	\$3.50
\$1.00 Table Linens	69c	59c Ingrain Carpets	44c
\$1.25 and \$1.35 Table Damask ..	84c	85c and \$1.00 Brussels Carpets ..	65c
75c Table Damask	57c	90c Ingrain Carpets	65c
35c Table Damask	21c	\$15.00 Brussels Rugs	\$9.95
Ladies' 25c Union Suits	21c	\$22.50 Velvet Rugs	\$14.95
Ladies' 50c Union Suits	29c	\$25.00 Axminster Rugs	\$15.95
Men's \$1.00 Union Suits	69c	\$2.25 Axminster Rugs	\$1.95
Men's 50c Underwear	33c	50c Wood Grain Filling	35c
Men's 25c Underwear	17c	65c Cork Linoleum	40c
Children's 10c Stockings	7c	25c and 30c White Goods	15c
Children's 25c Stocking	17c	Up to 35c Wash Goods	15c
Children's 15c Stockings	10c	75c Dress Linens	35c
Ladies' 25c Stockings	17c	39c and 50c Dress Linens	25c
Ladies' 50c Silk Stockings	29c	50c Neckwear	25c
Men's 50c Silk Sox	29c	25c Neckwear	12½c
Ladies' \$16.50 and \$18 Tailored		\$1.00 White Skirts	59c
Suits	\$5.00	\$1.50 White Skirts	95c
Ladies' \$25.00 to \$35.00 Tailored		\$3 and \$3.50 White Skirts	\$1.59
Suits	\$8.50	\$1.00 and \$1.25 Night Gowns	59c
Ladies' \$15.00 Summer Coats ..	\$4.95	\$1.50 and \$1.69 Night Gowns	98c
10c Towelings	7c	25c Corset Covers	15c
6c Toweling	4c	50c Corset Covers	37c
15c Towels	9c	Ladies' 39c Drawers	25c
25c Towels	17c	Ladies' 50c Drawers	37c
50c Towels	29c	\$1.25 Princess Slips	70c
50c Wash Silks	25c	\$1.50 and \$1.69 Princess Slips ..	98c
75c and \$1.00 Dress Goods	55c	\$1.50 Combinations	98c
Good Pins, a paper	1c	98c and \$1.25 White Waists	59c
\$1.00 Silk Gloves, elbow length ..	69c	\$1.50 and \$1.69 Fine Lingerie	
Ladies' 10c Handkerchiefs	5c	Waists	98c
5c Aluminum Thimbles, each ..	1c	\$2.25 to \$3.50 Fine White	
25c and 35c Silk Ribbons	17c	Waists	\$1.45
50c Window Shades	29c	50c and 65c Embroidery Flounc-	
25c Curtain Etamine	15c	ings	29c
45c Curtain Etamine	25c	75c and \$1 Embroidery Flounc-	
\$2.50 Lace Curtains	\$1.19	ings	59c
\$5.00 Lace Curtains	\$3.25	Up to \$2.00 Embroidery Flounc-	
Ladies' \$10.00 Summer Coats ..	\$3.75	ings	95c
Ladies' \$12.50 and \$15.00 Summer		Up to 25c Embroideries	10c
Dresses	\$7.95	\$5.00 to \$7.50 Trimmed Hats ..	\$1.99
Up to \$7.50 Summer Dresses ..	\$3.95	Children's 25c to 50c Straw Hats ..	10c
Up to \$5.00 Summer Dresses ..	\$1.95	Children's \$1.50 Gingham	
Ladies' \$2.50 and \$3.00 Wash		Dresses	\$1.19
Dresses	\$1.39	Children's 75c and 85c Wash	
\$5.00 Balkan Suits	\$2.95	Dresses	59c
Up to \$10.00 Dress Skirts	\$5.50	Children's \$1.00 Wash Dresses ..	77c
\$5 and \$6 Dress Skirts	\$3.25	\$1.50 Corsets	\$1.00
\$7.50 and \$10.00 Serge Dresses ..	\$3.95	\$1.00 Corsets	69c
		Ladies' 10c Gauze Vests	7c
		Ladies' 15c Gauze Vests	10c

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